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1 '	This matter came on for hearing in the above-entitled action on the Motion to
2	Transfer Venue of Defendant Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company ("Nationwide") on November
3	30, 2007. Richard H. Rahm, from the law firm of Littler Mendelson, P.C., appeared on behalf of
4	Nationwide. Matthew C. Helland of the law firm of Nichols, Kaster & Anderson, LLP, appeared on
5	behalf of Plaintiffs Frank Foster and Phillip Wamock ("Plaintiffs").
6	The Court has reviewed the papers submitted in support and in opposition to the
7	Motion to Transfer, and has heard oral argument. Accordingly, the Court finds that this action could
8	have been filed in the Southern District of Ohio, and because such a transfer would further the
9	convenience of the parties and witnesses, and would be in the interests of justice, Nationwide's
10	Motion to Transfer is GRANTED, and the Court orders this action to be transferred to the Southern
11	District of Ohio.
12	SO ORDERED.
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16	Susan Illston
17	United States District Judge
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